

SOCIETY



Misses Eula Bowman, Frank Hoover and Miriam Douglass. They will take part in an interesting recital to be given this month.

Fashionable people have been in a very whirl of interesting functions for the past week, and the next several days will prove quite as amusing from every standpoint. After a long string of affairs in the early part of the week society concluded things by attending the magnificent ball given by the Richmond Light Infantry Blues in the armory Friday night, when several hundred guests were entertained, and wound up Saturday afternoon at the spring races at the Country Club.

The clubhouse was hung with flowers, and tea was served on the terrace following the meet, which took place at 3 o'clock. Most of the men in town and several prominent society girls are horsewomen of no little note, so that Richmond people take more than a passing interest in the annual meet of the Hunt Club. For the reception following yesterday afternoon, punch was served at four tables, and those serving were Mrs. John Skelton Williams, Mrs. Levin Joyner, Mrs. George Mason, Mrs. Ormond Young, Miss Frances Scott. A number of young girls assisted.

For this week, perhaps the principal event of interest is the big Confederate ball, which will be given in the Masonic Temple on Tuesday night. Plans for the affair are most elaborate, and some of the best known people in Virginia will come to Richmond to be present. It will be a costume affair, although rows of the present day are perfectly allowable, and all sorts of lovely creations that have graced old attics for at least two generations will be in evidence that night. A buffet supper will be served at 11 o'clock, and as most of the men attending will be in full dress uniforms, it will be a very spectacular and brilliant event.

Edward Willis entertained at a very pretty dinner yesterday evening. The table was set with spring flowers, and the candles were shaded in rose color. Another notable gathering will take place this week when the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities will make their annual pilgrimage to Jamestown. This is always an interesting event of the month of May, and a great many distinguished guests will make the trip this year. Just now Jamestown is looking very lovely indeed. A good many new shrubs and plants have recently been set out, and all of the spring flowers are in bloom. The association has arranged for the steamship Pocahontas to take the guests down the river Saturday, and the boat will leave the wharf promptly at 8 A. M.

The date for the wedding of Miss Frances Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. D. Myers, to Macdonald Wellford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Randolph Wellford, has been set. The ceremony will take place on June

5, probably at the home of the bride's parents. Another wedding of interest to take place on the same date is that of Miss Minerva Haskins, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Jeffress, to Thompson Kinsford, of Oswego, N. Y. Miss Haskins' wedding will be celebrated at half-after 6 o'clock at Meadow Brook, the Jeffress country place, in Chesterfield.

Going Abroad. Miss Lucy S. Coleman, who will spend the summer in Italy, expects to give some time to the study of the Montessori method of training children, which is attracting the notice of the pedagogical world at present. Miss Coleman will sail from New York City on June 5, and will not return to Virginia until some time next fall.

Ladies Ball. The first of the series of reunion balls was tendered the sponsors and maids of honor on Wednesday night at the Macon Confederate reunion by the Sons of Veterans. The ball was a brilliant affair, and was led by Commander-in-Chief Norfield, of Mississippi, dancing with Miss Mary Custis Lee, of Stafford county, who is sponsor-in-chief for Virginia. Miss Lee is a very handsome girl. She spent some time in Richmond last winter as the guest of relatives, and a number of functions were given in her honor at that time.

At the Woman's Club. The members of the Woman's Club will have the pleasure of hearing a story by Mrs. William Todd Robins tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Robins will read an unpublished story entitled, "A Molecatcher."

On Thursday evening, May 16, the last bridge whist tournament of the season will be played at the Woman's Club, beginning promptly at half-past 8 o'clock. The usual rules concerning men partners and the registration of tables will be observed.

Closing Exercises. The closing exercises of the Richmond High School for Expression will be held informally with the examinations of the ensuing week. This will mark the end of the thirteenth session of the school. Candidates for the diploma from the practical course are Misses Mary Barnes, Nannie Floyd, Birdie Jones, Florence Kidd, Helen Nickels and Mary Nickels. Those who expect to graduate from the

professional course are Misses Eula Bowman, Frank Hoover and Miriam Douglass. Miss Nannie Crawford, who graduated from the professional course last session, completes the post-graduate course this month.

Beside the graduating classes, the students meeting special mention are Misses Lena Sydney Culpeper, Alice Hechler, Ullman and Little John Culpeper.

At the Art Club.

Last Tuesday the Art Club enjoyed the unusual pleasure of listening to an exposition of folk lore in its numerous manifestations throughout the world, ancient and modern, as a past mistress of the subject, Miss Lou Bell Jones. Skillfully interspersed with the logic of all folk lore Miss Jones gave an idea as to how inextricably combined this type of art expression has become in the past with the real history of nearly every nation with which history deals. The lecturer culled all time and all nations, with few exceptions, for her examples, and disclosed a knowledge of her subject which gave her utterances the authority of fact. Together with folk lore Miss Jones pointed out the close connection with the art of the storyteller, and in this direction her efforts were crowned with the appreciation of her audience, her selections showing complete familiarity with her general subject and all of its multifarious branches.

Selections from the Japanese served to indicate that the old proverb, "One touch of nature makes the whole world kin," is as true here as in so many other paths of art and literature. Miss Jones might have added China to her repertoire, for that singular people have stored away multitudes of stories and games from which doubtless the rest of the world has in times past drawn for many of its choicest bits of folk lore and children's stories and games.

The Art Club School is approaching the final weeks of a most successful season, and its patrons feel that at last Richmond has taken a decided step in the direction of appreciation of art for art's sake. Not only have the classes been better patronized than at any time in the history of the club, but what shows even better for the future, the attendance has been maintained up to the present time at a far higher standard of attendance than hitherto, so that the prospects for the coming year are brighter than at any time in the history of this club.

Next Tuesday at 5 P. M. the club

Kaufmann & Company

May Sale of Lingerie Waists

To-morrow we offer the prettiest collection of Waists it's ever been our pleasure to offer. Each and every one is rich in design, perfect in workmanship and exquisite in finish, and fresh from their boxes as new delivered flowers—a collection of Waists that is unsurpassed, and at such extremely low prices as will make the heart glad of every thrifty woman.

Smart Waists of fine sheer lawn, buttons down front, V neck, with fancy pointed sailor collar of blue, lavender and pink, sleeves to match collar.

Another of fine lawn, high neck, striped down front with Swiss and Valenciennes, tucked back and fancy sleeve. Regular \$1.50 value.

Fine, Sheer Batiste Waist, low neck, tucked back and front in cluster, round yoke of Irish crochet, front hand embroidered and set in with Irish crochet medallions.

Others with high neck of fine sheer batiste, tucked all over in tiny pin

tucks, with wide strip of Irish crochet insertion down front, collar and sleeve trimmed in same. Regular \$1.98 \$3.00 values; special

Dainty Waist of fine lawn, front formed in dainty design of tucks and German Valenciennes, with Swiss medallions, tucked back and fancy sleeve. Regular \$3.50 values; special

Peplum Waists of fine marquisette, square low neck, trimmed in wide Cluny insertion, daintily hand embroidered, fancy trimmed peplum; regular \$4.00 value; special

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Sale of Infants' Apparel

You will always find the Infants' Department here full of dainty suggestions for Baby Clothes and most economical in price. An instance of this is furnished in the pretty little garments in this offering, which are daintily made and reasonably priced.

Infants' First Short Dresses, hand embroidered and hand-made of fine batiste, dainty yoke of fine embroidery, finished with autre deaux and lace edge ribbon trimmed; special

Hand Embroidered and Hand-Made Dresses of fine batiste, round yoke, with sprays of embroidery, finished

with autre deaux, lace in neck and sleeves; special

Other Hand Embroidered Dresses, long and short, \$1.50 to \$4.50

Infants' Short Skirts, hand made of very fine batiste, hand embroidered, scallops around neck and armholes, scalloped hem; special

May Sale of House Dresses

The same careful attention is given to style, quality and workmanship as characterizes our more expensive dresses, and the prices for to-morrow are attractively low.

Tub House Dresses of percale, in navy and gray, assorted patterns, square neck and 3/4 sleeves, trimmed in piping of lighter shades, full skirt; special

Pretty Tub House Dresses of plain color chambray, side effect, waist plaited, trimmed with plaid bias folds, skirt with inverted plait; colors, gray and light blue; special

Smart Tub House Dresses of plaid gingham, sailor collar and turnback cuff of solid color, in contrasting shades, side effect of embroidery; panel skirt; special

When Parasols are \$1.98

and as pretty as these, it behooves the summer girl to lay in a supply. Of all-silk taffeta, in solid colors and combination effects of black and white stripes, with solid color borders; enameled, mission, carved and the new popular Princess mushroom handles, now the rage in all the fashionable resorts; an actual \$3.50 value; to-morrow at

Pretty Parasols at \$1.50

Parasols that will lend charm to every costume and face; made of nice quality taffeta; 8-ribbed reinforced frame; in solid colors, also striped, with solid color borders; long mission wood handles; in red, green and blue. This is quite the best Parasol news of the season.

Flowered Hats are Shown for Summer Wear

We are showing to-morrow many beautiful Hats trimmed in a profusion of flowers, and flowers that rival nature in its beauty. An assortment of the newest French shapes to select from, mostly in the large Picture Hats of hemp and leghorn, in black, white and blue. To appreciate the charm of these Hats you must come and see them yourself.

Last Call for Small Shapes

With small shapes still in popular favor this offering should make interesting reading to every woman or miss who wishes to economize.

SAVINGS OF ONE-HALF TO TWO-THIRDS ON EVERY SHAPE.

Every color and braid in the collection.

Just in, a collection of exclusive shapes for summer wear—shapes that are the last word of beauty and style—every one the newest Parisian design, in hemp and leghorn; in colors of blue, black and white and burnt.

Also, a collection of Neapolitan and Chip Hats, in black and white; unusual values at \$1.98 and



When Women are Arranging Summer Wardrobes is a Most Auspicious Moment to Announce

Many Rare Values in Summer Dresses

All that's new—all that's artistic and which charm the beholder, have been assembled in a collection of strikingly beautiful apparel.

Garments that satisfy the ruling passion for something exclusive at a reasonable price.

Tailored Linen Dresses, \$10.00

Dresses that appeal to smart tastes. The fabrics are of imported French and Austrian linen; made by the best American tailors; daintily hand-embroidered; lace collars finished with velvet bow; garments that cannot be duplicated for less than \$15.00; to-morrow

Dainty Dresses at \$15.00

These Charming, Cool Summer Frocks are of very fine striped voile; in three different styles to choose from; trimmed in shirring of silk. Queen Elizabeth ruff at neck, now so much the vogue. Among these models many high necks are being shown; others daintily hand embroidered. Also, many Black and White Dresses suitable for second mourning.

We also show a profusion of Dainty Afternoon and Street Frocks, in very distinctive and exclusive styles, in the favorite materials of voile, challie, dotted crepe and linene. Prices from \$20 up.

Sale of Women's and Misses' Spring Suits

We are adjusting our stocks to provide for the Wash Suits and Dresses which are coming in daily—hence these extraordinary reductions.

\$25, \$22.50 and \$20 Suits, To-Morrow, \$10.98

These Suits are from our regular stock. Every model, in the newest styles; materials of shepherd check and mixtures; some are prettily trimmed and braided; others with fancy collars; many are strictly tailored; lined with peau de cygne silk; all the smart colorings. A variety large enough to suit all tastes.

\$32.50, \$29.50 and \$27.50 Suits, To-Morrow, \$15

Materials of fine serges, whipcords and stylish mixtures; some with lingerie collar and cuffs; others with taffeta and uncut velvet in contrasting colors; also the new gathered back, while others are strictly tailored; all the wanted shades and sizes. Those who desire a suit out of the ordinary at practically give-away prices should be here early.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

The woman with tender skin dreads May because it is sure to cover her face with ugly freckles. No matter how thick her veil, the sun and winds will surely make her freckle.

Fortunately for her peace of mind, the recent discovery of a new drug, othine—double strength—makes it possible for even those most susceptible to freckles to keep the skin clear and white. No matter how stubborn a case of freckles you have, the double strength othine will remove them. Get an ounce package from Tragle Drug Co. and banish the freckles. Money back if it fails.

Can Cancer Be Cured? IT CAN

The record of the Kellam Hospital is without parallel in history. Having cured to stay cured permanently, without the use of the knife or X-ray, over 80 per cent. of the many hundreds of sufferers from cancer which it has treated during the past fifteen years.

We have been endorsed by the Senate and Legislature of Virginia. We guarantee our cures.

Physicians treated free.

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Mrs. Charles Henry Phipps, formerly Miss Ruth La Velle, whose wedding was a society event in Waynesboro this past week. Mrs. Phipps is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. La Velle.

will have the pleasure of listening to a talk on "Literature and Art" by the well-known Richmond authorities, Miss Ellen Glasgow. Miss Glasgow will relate some curious facts and fancies which have occurred to her in the pursuit of literature at home and abroad. Inasmuch as these talks of the Art Club will soon cease for the season, it is hoped that many will take advantage of the present opportunities.

Returning to Virginia.

Mrs. William A. Jones, wife of Representative Jones, of Virginia, will return to Washington next week from a brief visit to her son, William A. Jones, Jr., at the University of Virginia. Representative and Mrs. Jones will close their house there about June 15 and go to their country place in Virginia for the summer.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. Regina Zalus, of Highland Park, announces the engagement of her daughter, Emilie, to William N. Gregory. The wedding will take place early in June.

Receiving Line.

A number of representative people have been asked to stand in the receiving line at the Confederate Ball on Tuesday night. They are the Governor of Virginia and Mrs. Mann, Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. J. Taylor; Elison, Mayor and Mrs. D. C. Richardson, Attorney-General and Mrs. E. W. Williams, Mrs. A. A. Campbell, president of the Virginia Division; Mrs. U. D. Eller, Mrs. Thomas Boeck, Mrs. Robert T. Lee, president of the Petersburg Chapter; Mrs. J. M. Gregory, president of the Chesterfield Chapter; Mrs. John T. Hume, president of the Oakwood Memorial Association; Mrs. C. W. Massie, president of the Junior Oakwood Memorial Association; Miss Kathleen Moses, president of the Hebrew Memorial Association; Miss Thalhimer, president of the Junior Hebrew Memorial Association; Mrs. E. D. Taylor, president of the Hollywood Memorial Association; Mrs. Sidney J. Dudley, president of the Junior Hollywood Memorial Association; Mrs. A. J. Montague, acting president of the Home for Needy Confederate Women; Mrs. James W. White, president of Lee Chapter Auxiliary; Rev. Landon Mason, commander of the E. Lee Camp; Rev. J. Power Smith, adjutant on the staff of Stonewall Jackson; Mrs. William Russell Cox, national president of the Colonial Dames; Mrs. Benjamin L. Purcell, regent of Commonwealth Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. Sidney Dudley, regent of Old Dominion Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. J. Taylor Ellyson, president of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities; Mrs. LeRoy Brown, president of the Daughters of 1812; General William Ruffin Cox, Colonel Charles Locher, com-

mander of Pickett Camp; Henry W. Wood, president of the Chamber of Commerce; R. W. Whitte, Geo. Keesee, Commander of Sons of Veterans; Mrs. W. E. Caldwell, president of Ashland Chapter. From the Richmond Chapter will be Mrs. N. V. Randolph, Mrs. Walter Christian, Mrs. P. J. White, Mrs. W. R. Vawter, Mrs. Clarence Snyder, Mrs. Adele Corling and Mrs. B. A. Blenner.

Ball Day.

Thursday, May 16, is Ball Day, when an appeal will be made to Richmond people to aid the Virginia Home for Incubables. Everybody in town is asked to wear one of the tiny bells that will be had on the streets on this day and help the board of managers of this institution in their work of caring for the inmates.

Monday, May 20, from 3 to 7 o'clock, the home will be thrown open for inspection by the public, and all interested are invited to come and look over the place. A committee of women will be on hand to show the visitors around.

Meeting Tuesday.

Daughters will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Young Jones, step 8 on the Westhampton car line. A full attendance is desired.

Reception in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. H. Porter and the family will be in Portsmouth on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Young Jones, step 8 on the Westhampton car line. A full attendance is desired.

Dutch Supper.

Among the many attractive parties given to the business women of Richmond, one of the most unique took place at the Fern Leaf Tea Rooms, on the evening of Wednesday, May 8, in honor of the young women of the Woolworth and McCrory firms.

A Dutch supper was served at 6:30 o'clock, after which the guests were entertained with readings and music.

The supper was followed by a delightful automobile ride. A table was presided over by a member of the extension and educational committee, of which Mrs. Thomas Bigger is chairman. These women afterward acted as chaperons for the cars, which were furnished through the courtesy of their owners.

Important Meetings.

The Junior Auxiliary to Lee Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the auditorium of the John Marshall High School. All members are requested to be present. There will be music and recitations by some of the children, and the meeting will be a very interesting one.

St. John's Circle, of King's Daughters, will meet on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with Mrs. Anthony, at 503 Davis Avenue. A full attendance is requested, as arrangements will be made for the annual moonlight excursion to Dutch Gap, which takes

place on June 18, for the Sheltering Arms Free Hospital.

The Dorothea Payne Madison Chapter, Daughters of 1812, will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 15, with Mrs. LeRoy Brown, at 926 West Church Street. A large attendance is desired, since this will be the last meeting of the chapter until next fall.

In the Service of the King Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Alexander Thornton, at Thirty-first Street, Woodland Heights, Monday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

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